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## BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION C

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
BLACK MOUNTAIN SEWER  
CORPORATION, FOR A DETERMINATION  
OF THE FAIR VALUE OF ITS UTILITY  
PLANT AND PROPERTY AND FOR  
INCREASES IN ITS RATES AND CHARGES  
FOR UTILITY SERVICE BASED THEREON

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**STAFF'S REPLY TO BLACK MOUNTAIN  
SEWER CORPORATION'S RESPONSE TO  
STAFF'S MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME**

The Arizona Corporation Commission Utilities Division ("Staff") hereby submits this Reply to Black Mountain Sewer Corporation's ("BMSC" or "Company") Response to Staff's June 12, 2009 Motion for Extension of Time.

Staff is unable to acquiesce in any of the Company's suggestions at this time. Further, Staff has found all of the Company's suggestions to be unworkable under the circumstances. Staff cannot change the fact that the lead analyst assigned to this matter is no longer employed with the Commission. Additionally, Staff cannot change the resource shortage especially in light of the current economic situation that our State is in.

Therefore, Staff has tried to take a proactive approach by asking for an extension of time in the front end of the case, instead of trying to attempt to adhere to the current schedule only to need additional time at the back end. In asking for the extension of time soon after the personnel change, Staff hoped to help alleviate potential timing issues in the future. Staff believes that a complete and thorough analysis would be in the best interest of all parties, and aid the Administrative Law Judge and ultimately, the Commission in rendering a decision.

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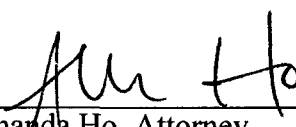
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1 For these reasons, and those stated in Staff's June 12 Motion, Staff respectfully requests the  
2 extension of time for filing its testimony until September 18, 2009 and subsequent procedural dates  
3 be modified accordingly.

4 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 2009.

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